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**COMMENTS:**

Please find attached a Letter requesting a copy of the official filing receipt and requesting correction of the correspondence address for allowed U.S. patent application 10/761,111.

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**PATENT**

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Sir:

Applicant notes that Applicant's representative still has not received the official Filing Receipt for the present application. Applicant's representative called the USPTO on June 14, 2004 to inquire about its whereabouts, and was informed that the official Filing Receipt was mailed in April, 2004 to the law firm of Peters, Verny, Jones & Schmitt, 425 Sherman Avenue, Suite 230, Palo Alto, CA 94306. However, because the law firm of Peters, Verny, Jones & Schmitt is NOT the Applicant's representative, the official Filing Receipt was mailed to the incorrect address.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the official Filing Receipt be re-sent to the correct address below and that the correspondence address also be corrected as follows:

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If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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